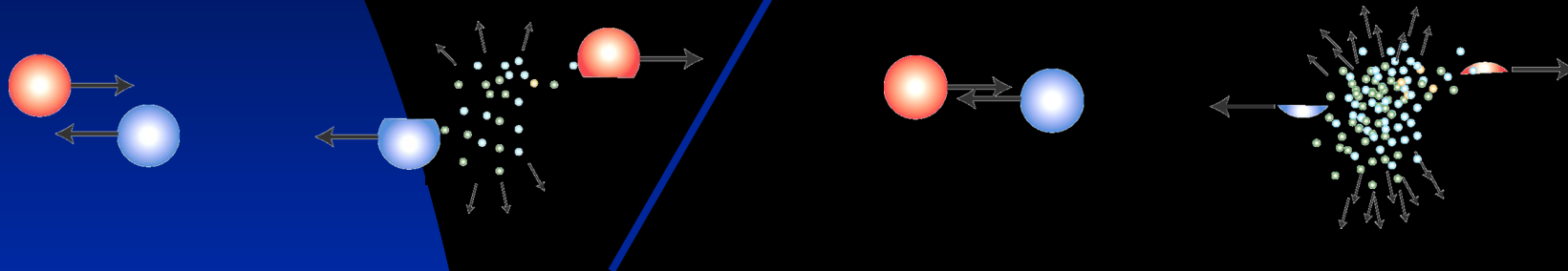


EOS SAMURAI-TPC

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About six-seven years ago

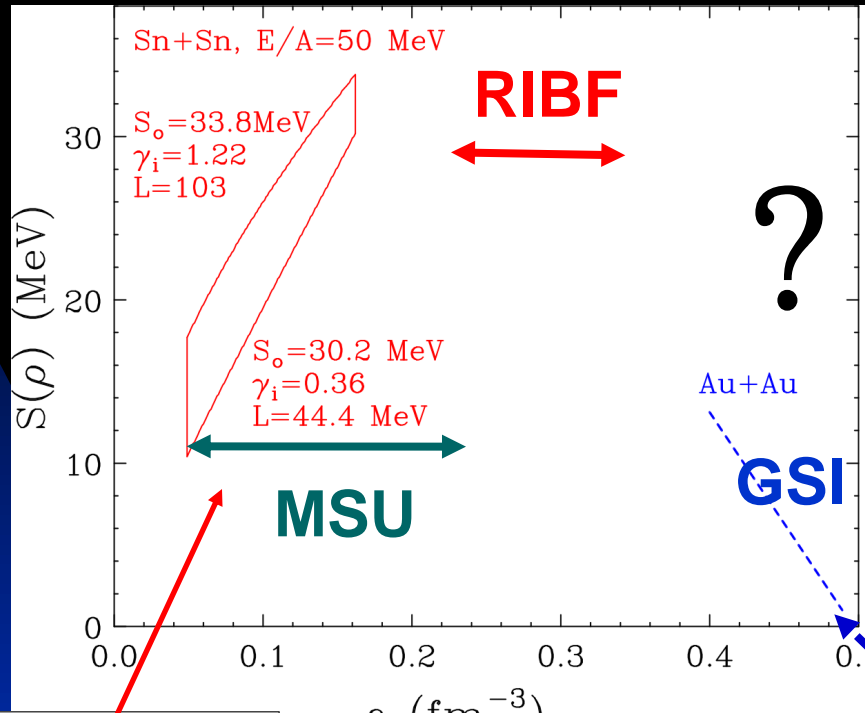
Bill Lynch and I started discussing on possible nuclear reaction experiments using RIBF.

$$E(\rho, \delta) = E(\rho, 0) + E_{sym}(\rho) \delta^2$$

$$\delta \equiv (\rho_n - \rho_p) / \rho$$

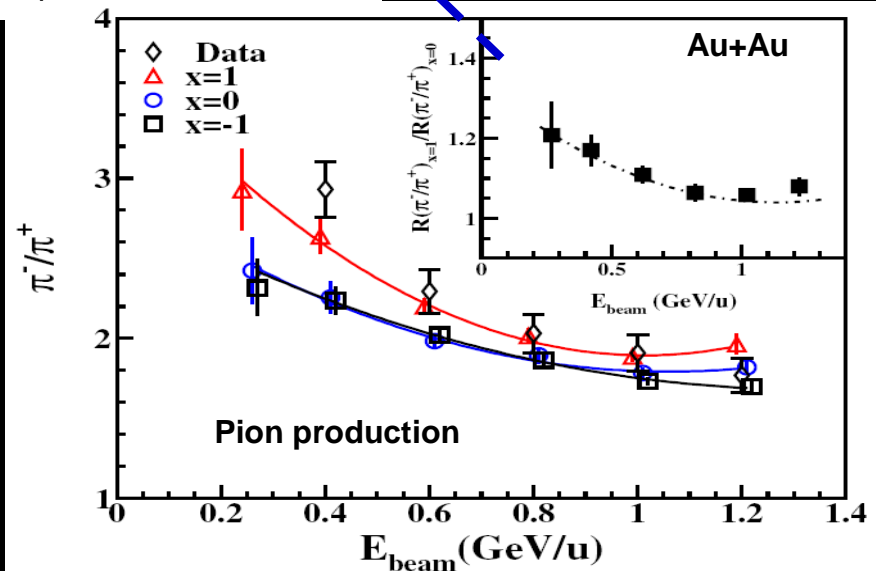
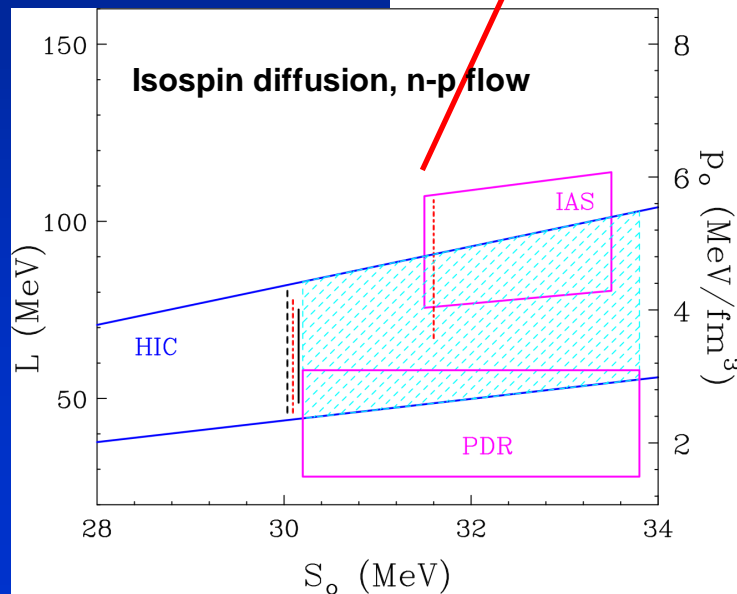
$$E_{stm}(\rho) \equiv \frac{1}{2} \frac{\partial^2 E(\rho, \delta)}{\partial \delta^2} \bigg|_{\delta=0} = E(\rho, 1) - E(\rho, 0)$$

Constraining the symmetry energy at supra-saturation densities $\rho \approx 2\rho_0$.



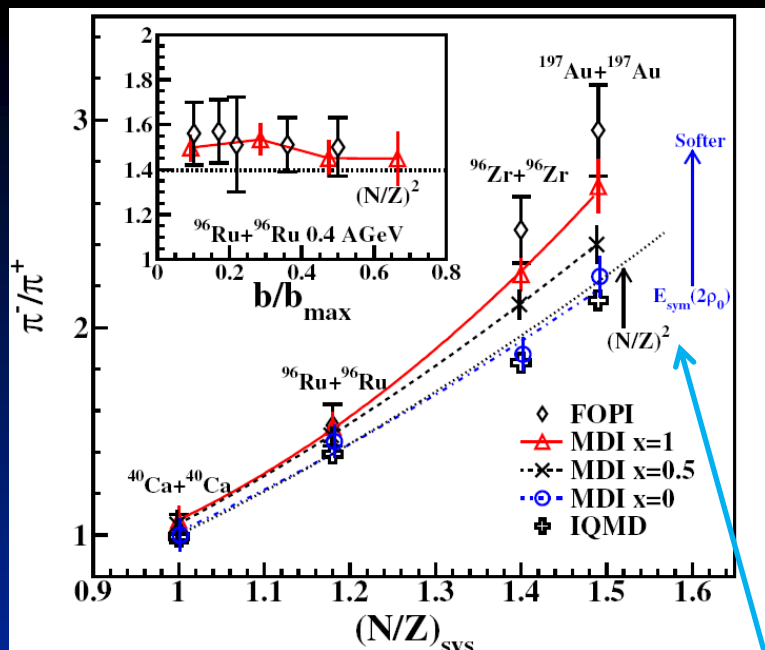
RIBF can constrain the symmetry energy at $\sim 2\rho_0$.

Requires data with controlled variations in system asymmetry

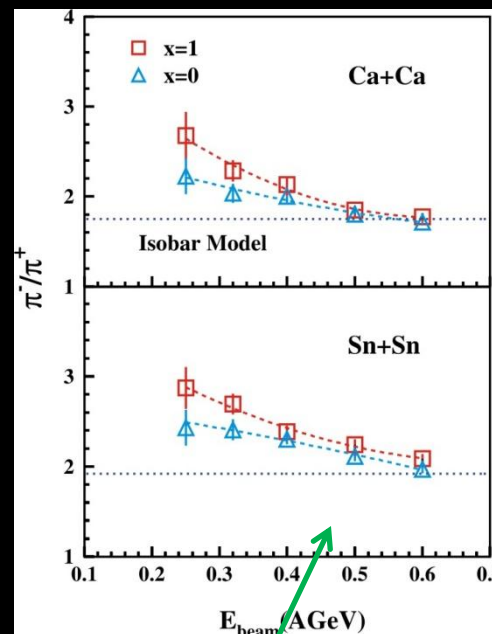


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Choice of beams and facilities for pion ratios



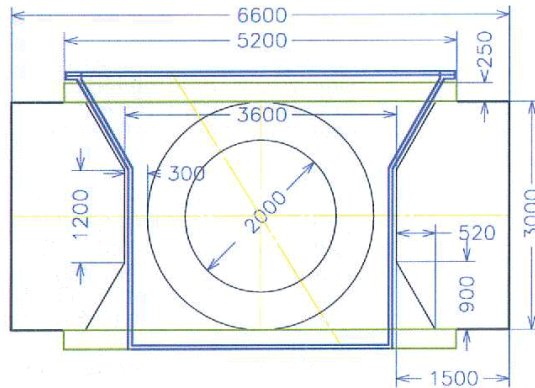
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Zhang et al., arXiv:0904.0447v2 (2009)

- Choice of facility is governed by availability of beams and equipment:
- Sensitivity to symmetry energy is larger for neutron-rich beams
 - ◆ Largest sensitivity requires rare isotope beams such as ^{132}Sn and ^{108}Sn .
- Sensitivity increases with decreasing incident energy.
- Most sensitive measurements of π^-/π^+ ratios would be with beams available at RIBF or FAIR.
- Measurements require floor-space and a magnet suitable for a TPC; this is not currently within the FAIR project.

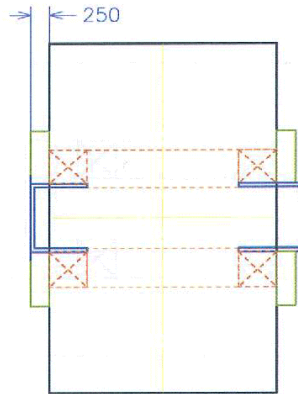
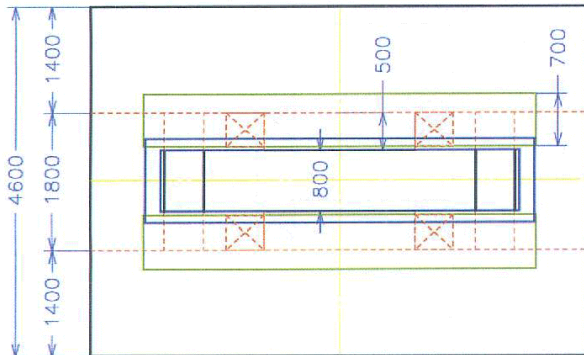
Comparison of SAMURAI with EOS(HISS)



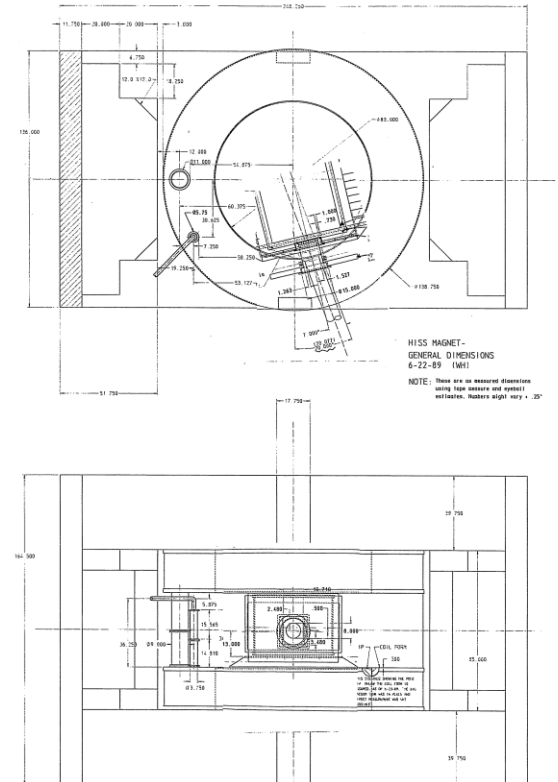
Cross section
pole: 3.14m²
side yoke: 4.03
u/d yoke: 4.20
assume : coil=0.5x0.5m²

volume
pole: 3.14 m³
side yoke: 14.42
u/d yoke: 55.44
cramp: 3.64
sum: 76.74m³
weight: 603.9 t (7.87t/m³)

22-May-2008 Kobayashi T.



Gap ~80 cm(expected)



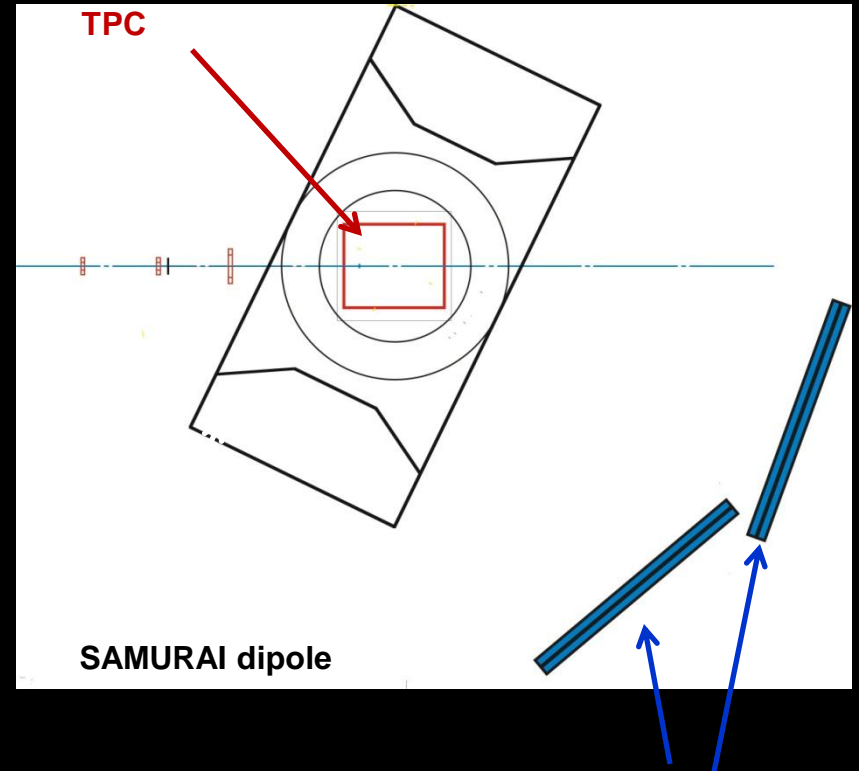
Gap=100 cm

Device: SAMURAI TPC

Propose to build a TPC for use within the gap of the SAMURAI dipole.

The SAMURAI TPC would be used to constrain the density dependence of the symmetry energy through measurements of:

- Pion production
- Flow, including neutron flow measurements with the nebula array.



Nebula scintillators

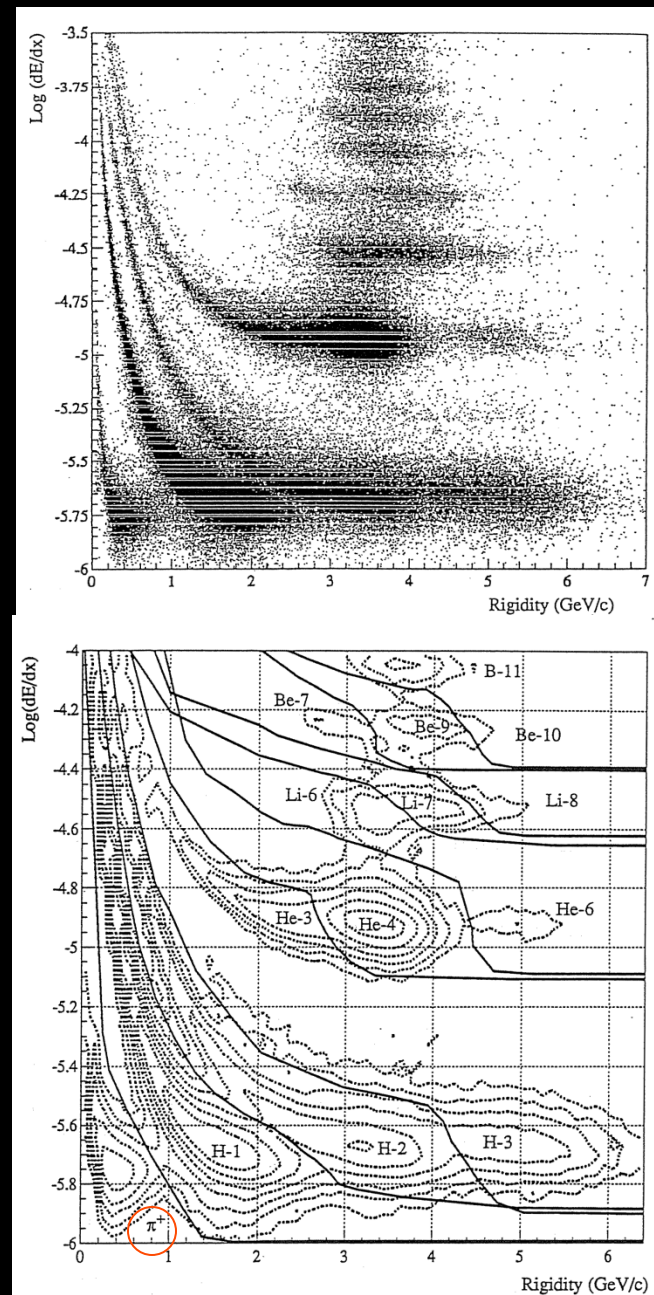
Proposed Research program

Probe	Devices	E_{lab}/A (MeV)	Part./s	Main Foci	Possible Reactions	FY
$\pi^+\pi^-$, p, n, t, ^3He	TPC Nebula	200-300 350	10^4 - 10^5	E_{sym} m_n^* , m_p^*	$^{132}\text{Sn}+^{124}\text{Sn}$, $^{105}\text{Sn}+^{112}\text{Sn}$, $^{52}\text{Ca}+^{48}\text{Ca}$, $^{36}\text{Ca}+^{40}\text{Ca}$ $^{124}\text{Sn}+^{124}\text{Sn}$, $^{112}\text{Sn}+^{112}\text{Sn}$	2013 -2014
$\pi^+\pi^-$ p, n, t, ^3He	TPC Nebula	200-300	10^4 - 10^5	σ_{nn}, σ_p ${}_p\sigma_{np}$	$^{100}\text{Zr}+^{40}\text{Ca}$, $^{100}\text{Ag}+^{40}\text{Ca}$, $^{107}\text{Sn}+^{40}\text{Ca}$, $^{127}\text{Sn}+^{40}\text{Ca}$	2015 -2017

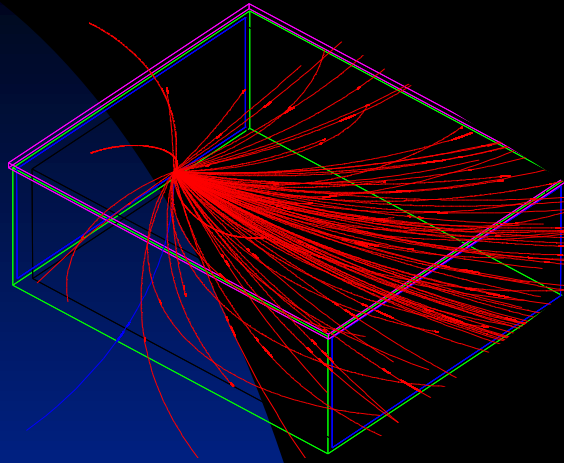
- Typical rates at $10^4/\text{s}$ are 3-4 pions/s of each charge and about 5 n's/s
 - ◆ Goal is to run up to $10^5/\text{s}$

Performance of EOS-TPC

HISS TPC Characteristics	
Pad Plane Area	1.5m × 1.0m
Number of Pads	15360 (120 × 128)
Pad Size	12mm × 8mm
Drift Distance	75 cm
Time Sampling Freq.	10 MHz
Signal Shaping Time	250 ns
Electronic Noise	700 e
Gas Gain	3000
Gas Composition	90%Ar + 10%CH ₄
Pressure	1 Atmosphere
B Field	13 kG
E Field	120 V/cm
Drift Velocity	5cm/μ s
Event Rate	10-80 events/ 1 sec spill
dE/dx range	Z = 1-8, Λ, π, p, d, t, He, Li - O
Two Track Resolution	2.5cm
Multiplicity Limit	≈ 200



TPC properties



GEANT simulation
 $^{132}\text{Sn} + ^{124}\text{Sn}$ collisions at $E/A=300$ MeV

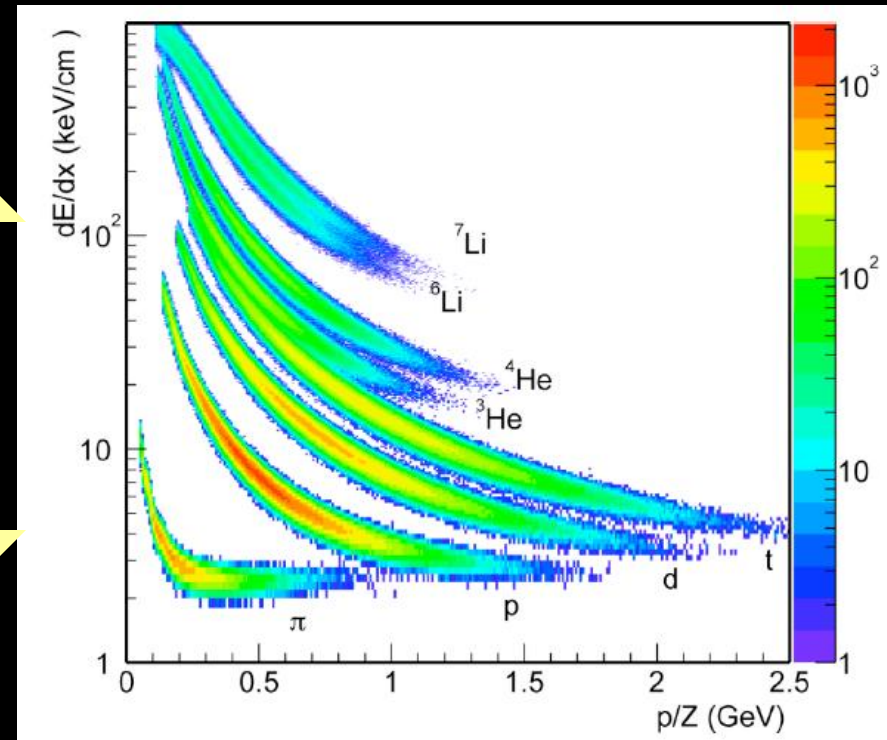
- **Good efficiency for pion track reconstruction is essential.**
- **Initial design is based upon EOS TPC, whose properties are well documented.**

SAMURAI TPC parameters	
Pad plane area	1.3m x 0.9 m
Number of pads	11664 (108 x 108)
Pad size	12 mm x 8 mm
Drift distance	55 cm
Pressure	1 atmosphere
dE/dx range	Z=1-3 (Star El.), 1-8 (Get El.)
Two track resolution	2.5 cm
Multiplicity limit	200 (large systems absolute pion eff.)

Electronics upgrade

- Initial experiments 2013-2014 would be performed with STAR TPC electronics.
 - ◆ Used at MSU for S800 spectrograph and tracking detectors.
- STAR ADC is 10 Bit; data rate is <100 events/s.
 - ◆ Limits dynamic range of resolved particles
- To increase dynamics range and resolution, new GET electronics, would be installed in 2014.

STAR dynamic range.



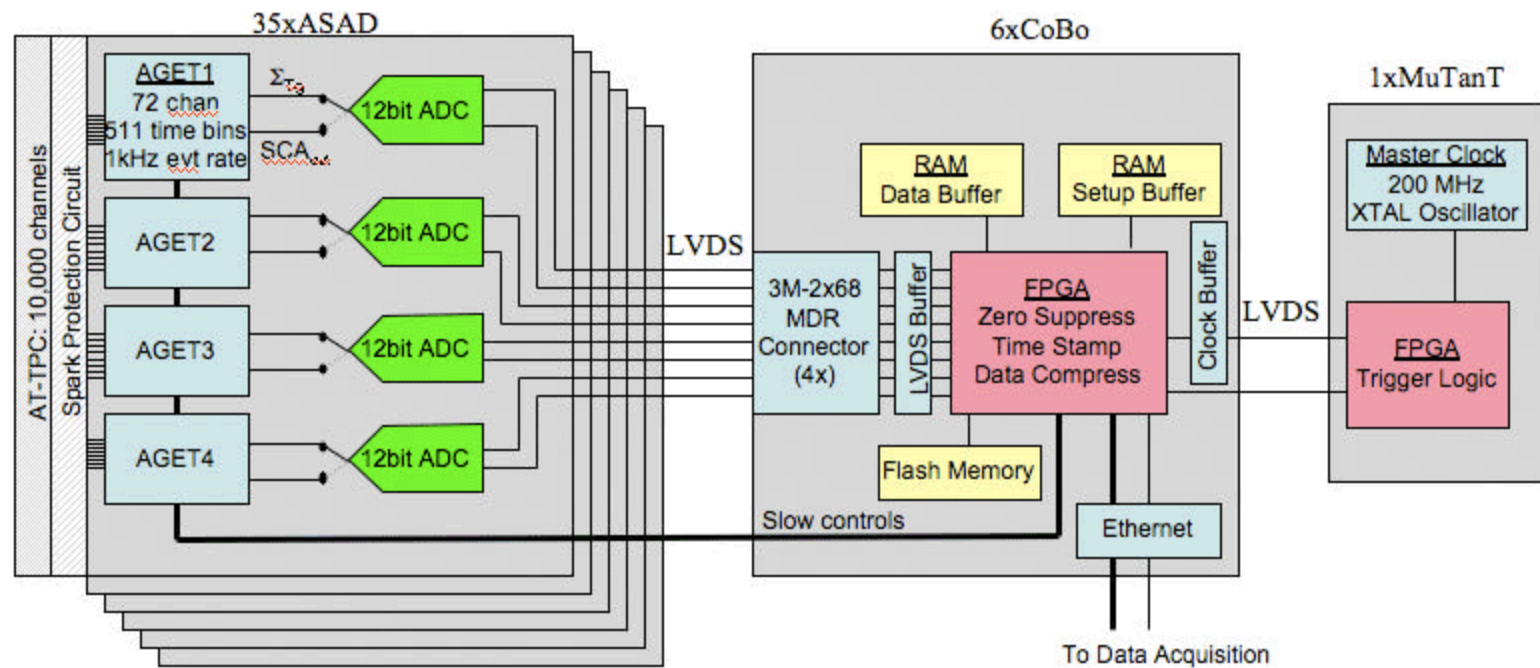
resolution of SAMURAI TPC,
nSimulated neglecting ADC dynamical range problem.

GET: GENERAL ELECTRONICS FOR TPC

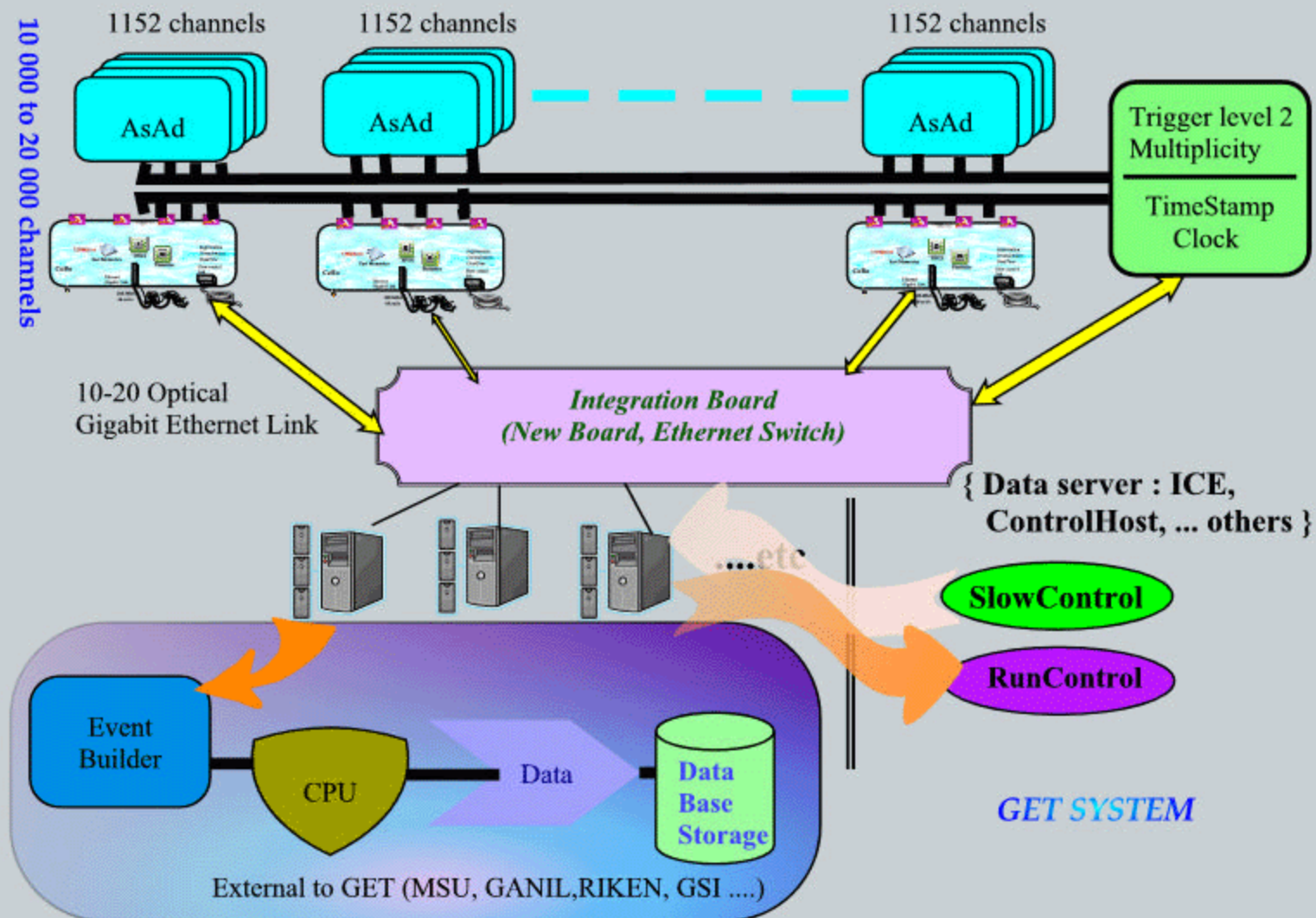
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Preparing MOU



10 000 to 20 000 channels



Synthesis of the AGET requirements

Parameter	Value
Polarity of detector signal	Negative or Positive
Number of channels	72
External Preamplifier	Yes; access to the filter or SCA inputs
Charge measurement	
Input dynamic range	120 fC; 1 pC; 10 pC
Gain	Adjustable/(channel)
Output dynamic range	2V p-p
I.N.L	< 2%
Resolution	< 850 e- (Charge range: 120fC; Peaking Time: 200ns; Cinchannel. < 30pF)
Sampling	
Peaking time value	50 ns to 1 μ s (16 values)
Number of SCA Time bins	511
Sampling Frequency	1 MHz to 100 MHz
Time resolution	
Jitter	60 ps rms
Skew	< 700 ps rms
Trigger	
Discriminator solution	L.E.D
Trigger Output/Multiplicity	OR of the 72 discriminator outputs; Width=2*TSCAckread
Dynamic range	5% of input charge range
I.N.L	< 5%
Threshold value	4-bit DAC/channel + (3-bit + polarity bit) common DAC
Minimum threshold value	\geq noise
Readout	
Readout frequency	20 MHz to 25 MHz
Channel Readout mode	Hit channel; specific channels; all channels
SCA Readout mode	511 cells; 256 cells; 128 cells
Test	
calibration	1 channel / 72; external test capacitor
test	1 channel / 72; internal test capacitor (1/charge range)
functional	1, few or 76 channels; internal test capacitor/channel
Counting rate	
ASIC level	< 1 kHz
Power consumption	
Channel Asic	< 10 mW / channel
Packaging	Ceramic or plastic
Temperature	ambient

ADDITIONAL PHYSICS CAN BE COVERED BY TPC

The TPC also can serve as an active target both in the magnet or as a standalone device

Traditional EOS Study

- Multifragmentation of Participant Zone

TPC is ideal 4π detector.

Good acceptance for all Z

Coherent analysis of numerous observables

Fix A_{tot} , Plot vs. E/A -- Minimize finite-size effects

Can be used as a replacement of well used 4π Detector like INDRA, ISiS and so on.

EOS TPC has already shown the capability.

Symmetry Energy

Besides π^-/π^+ ratios

- Pion flow
- Neutrons & Protons

Relative energy spectra

Differential flow

Balance energy

- Charged Fragments

$t/{}^3\text{He}$ ratio, ${}^3\text{He}/{}^4\text{He}$ ratios,

${}^6\text{Li}/{}^7\text{Li}$ ratios, ${}^6\text{He}/{}^6\text{Li}$ flow

Fission

Asymmetry dependence of fission barriers

- Using H, He gas in TPC

Track to find interaction point (E). *Get the entire* excitation function at one bombarding energy

Multi-particle Final State

- Looking for New kinds of Cluster states like $^{12}\text{Be} \rightarrow ^6\text{He} + ^6\text{He}$
- Coulomb dissociation into p+Hl(neutron-rich)

Large relative energy can be covered by TPC.

Nuclear Structure Experiments - (Active Target)

- Inelastic Scattering at intermediate energies
 - (p,p') or (α,α') inverse kinematics, 100-200 MeV/n
precise information on decay branch.
 - Giant resonance studies to access nuclear compressibility
We should use lower energy beam!!
<100 MeV/nucleon
- Charge Exchange Reactions
 - $AZ(p,n)A(Z+1)$, $AZ(^3\text{He},t)A(Z+1)$
 $AZ(d,^2\text{He})A(Z-1)$

Announcement

- We are going to hold an international symposium on “symmetry energy” in last week of July 2010.
- Please join SAMURAI-TPC project